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SUBJECT: GSP BREFING

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1. CHARGE HELD USIS-ARRANGED PRESS CONFERENCE AFTERNOON OF NOV 25 TO BRIEF JOURNALISTS ON GSP. UC TO TIME OF CONFERENCE, THERE HAD BEEN NO COVERAGE IN LOCAL PRESS OF SUBJECT.

2. CONFERENCE ATTENDED BY APPROXIMATELY 20 JOURNALISTS, REPRESENTING MAJOR NEWSPAQERS, WIRE SERVICES, ALL TV CHANNELS, SEVERAL RADIO STATIONS. MOST MEDIA REPRESENTED BY ECONOMIC/ TRADE SPECIALTY WRITERS.

3. CHANNEL 7 NATIONAL TV, CHANNEL 13 AND CHANNEL 9 USED ABOUT TWO MINUTES FILM WITH QUOTES FROM PRESS CONFERENCE ON MAIN NEWS SHOWS TUESDAY NIGHT NOV 25. IN ADDITION CHANNEL 7 FILMED TWO-MINUTE PRIVATE INTERVIEW WITH CHARGE ON GSP, WHICH ALSO USED TUESDAY NIGHT. CHANNEL 4 OF VALPARAISO UNABLE USE FILM TUESDAY NIGHT DUE TIME FACTOR, BUT PLAFNED USE IT WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

4. MORNING NEWSPAPERS NOV 26 CARRIED WIRE SERVICE STORY ON GSP. IN ADDITION "LA TERCERA", LARGEST CIRCULATION DAILY, AND GOC "EL CRONISTA" PRINTED STORIES OF PRESS CONFERENCE. "TERCERA" HEAD READ "NEW CUSTOMS SYSTEM FOR 1976: CHILEAN PRODUCTS OBTAIN NEW DUTY-FREE ENTRY INTO U.S." "CRONISTA" HEADED STORY "TWENTY CHILEAN PRODUCTS FAVORED IN U.S.

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GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES."

5. CONSERVATIVE "EL MERCURIO" PLANS RUN EXTENSIVE STORY BASED
ON PRESS CONFERENCE IN THURSDAY, NOV 27, EDITION, PLAYING
IT ON FIRST PAGE F SECOND SECTION. EVENING NOV 25 AND
MORNING NOV 26 RADIO NEWSCASTS ALSO CARRIED GSP STORY,
INCLUDING SOUND RECORDED AT CONFERENCE.
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